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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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SUBJECT.

Execution of repairs to the Sri Prasanna Venkataramanaswamy temple at Venkatia Chattram, Chamarajnagar Taluk

PREVIOUS REFERENCES.

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MUZRAI DEPARTMENT.

Letters
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OFFICE NOTE.

Subject.
Repairs to the Sri Prasanna Venkata-ramana swami temple at Venkatiahana Chattram, Chamarajanagar Taluk.

LAST REFERENCE:—

Letter No. 150 dated 29th December 1903 from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District.

20.12.94 One Sosale Ranganchar of the Venkatiahana chattram Agrahar addressed a petition to the Muzrai Secretary stating that the temple (which had been inspected by the Muzrai Secretary also) stood in very urgent need of repairs and it (petition) was sent to the District Muzrai officer with a request that an estimate for its (temple's) repairs might be sent. The Amildar, Chamarajanagar Taluk submitted 30.9.98. an Estimate amounting to Rs 2375-8-0 (after a delay of nearly four years) and stated that Contributions to the extent of Rs 203 had been promised

had been received and deposited in the Govt
Saving Bank and that there was no
probability of getting the balance of Rs 46/-
The Muk Secretary replied that the 11.8.00
question of giving any help from Govt
would be considered after the promised
Contributions are received in full.
Rs 10 having been recovered subsequently,
the Auildar reported that there was 6.5.03
no probability of getting anything
more from the Agraharikas who are
all very poor.

When the Deputy Secretary, Muk Rai
Department inspected the temple in April 11.7.03
1903, he found it in a very dilapidated
Condition and directed the Auildar to
submit an Estimate for repairing
the temple. The Dy Com'r was informed of this & was also requested to
make provision also therein
for removing the Ammanavara Vigrahas
and consecrating the same in the temple
Shrine to intimate the funds if any
at the credit of the temple or to point
out the source from which the cost
of repairs could be met.

18.8.03 The Amildar reported that Rs 167 had been deposited in the Govt Savings Bank, which, together with interest, amounted to Rs 170-10-6 and there was no other savings at the credit of the temple as the Jasdik was very small and hence no savings could be effected to meet the cost of repairs.

29.12.03 The Deputy Commissioner submits two Estimates amounting to Rs 2375-8-0 and Rs 100 respectively, the former for repairing the temple and the latter for consecrating the Amman and Vigraha in the inner shrine.

Subd with a draft.

Ds
21/1/04

Deputy Secretary's remarks:-

I personally visited this temple during my tour in April last, and found the temple in a very dilapidated condition. As the repair of the [illegible]

temple would involve very heavy expenditure I thought that arrangements should be made immediately for the thorough repair of the Garbhagudi and the Navaranga Mantapa only, providing windows for light and air, and requested the Amildar to submit estimates for so much alone the Annanavaru being now placed in a Mantap in the verandah or Chandrasala, which is all tumbling down, I thought it would be desirable to remove the stone idol from that place and consecrate it in a portion of the Navaranga, which would undergo thorough repair. Instead of restricting the estimate to the works named above, the Deputy Commissioner has sent

an old estimate in 1898, providing for the repairing the wood work including the whole of the Chandrasala and one Gopuram and walls etc, at a cost of Rs 2375-8-0. It is not possible to give such a large amount from the State Grant for this one temple alone. The Dy: Commissioner will therefore be asked to submit a fresh estimate for the absolutely necessary works named above, which can not cost more than four or five hundred Rupees.

The removal of the idol of the goddess from the present place to the Navaranga being a work of great urgency, may be ordered to be effected at once, the cost thereof, viz, Rs 100/- being met from the sum of Rs 170-10-6 contingencies

temple devotees and placed
he savings Bank.
tha An extract from my
be inspection Notes as regards
the affairs of the Venkatarayana
Chatram Agrahar is
appended for information.

Subd to the Dewan
28/1/04

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Draft 30/1/04

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Note

In Govt Ord No 2[illegible]-6 ;

an Estimate for Rs 100/- for removing the idol of Annamavaru from its present dangerous situation to the inner Shrine and Consecrating it there was Sanctioned and the Dy: Commr: was asked to submit a reduced Estimate for repairing the temple. The Dy: Commr now reports that the people object to the utilization of the Contribution amount held in Savings Bank for the removal & Consecration of the Annamavaru idol and that they have executed a Mutchalika that if the amount in the Savings Bank is returned to them they a[illegible]

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the Engr. Committee of opinion that as the villagers were not able to complete the [illegible]. Although nearly one year has elapsed it cannot be expected that the villagers will act up to the terms of the [illegible] and even if they did, the repairs would not be done substantially. He therefore suggests that [illegible] may be restored to sanction the estimate [illegible] in 1899 for Rs 2375-8-0, the charge being met as follows. —

Rs 2000-0-0 in Local Fund Rate

" 378-2-1 From the contribution amount [illegible] Canal

" [illegible]

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Note contd.

The draft put up was accordingly issued under the orders of the ex-Dewan, the Govt. in their order of the 20th Feby. 1906 Sanctioned an estimate for Rs 100/- for removing the idol of Ammanivaru from its present dangerous Situation to the inner Shrine of the temple of Sri Prasanna Venkataramana Swamy at Venkatiana chattram, Chamarajnagar Taluk. The Devotees of the temple have wired the Dewan Saheb praying that the order in question Should be held in abeyance until Govt. peruses the correspondence re repairs recommended by the Amildar. They state that the Dist authorities insist on Carrying out the terms of the said order.

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Submts.

23/6/06

Send copy of the telegram to the D.C. and ask if it is possible to effect the repairs without

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the Dy: Commrs is of opinion that as the villagers were not able to complete the Stone work although nearly one year has elapsed, it cannot be expected that the villagers will ack up to the terms of the Mutchalikas, or even if they did, the repairs would not be done substantially. He therefore suggests that Govt may be pleased to sanction the Estimate prepared in 1898 for Rs 2375-8-0, the charge being met as follows: —

Rs 208-0-0 in	Govt Pros: Note
198-2-1-	From the contribution amount in Savings Bank
31-9-1	From the funds of the Sastha
1935-12-16	From the Tala Fund.

Issue the draft HL 11/11/05

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Note contd.

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Submits.

RS
23/6/06

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Send copy of the telegram to the D.C. and ask if it is possible to effect the repairs without

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removing the idols. The opinion of the local PW Officers may be also taken.

Inform the Amildar accordingly to save time and Endorse to Peons

24/6/06

Dft Sd 25/6/06

Note Continued —

As directed, the Dy: Commissioner was requested to report on the above. He states that the Local Public Officers report that the work may be carried out without removing the idols from their present position but the cost of scaffolding and supports to be given would be great. What the cost would be has not been stated.

The Deputy Comr does not say anything about the estimated cost of scaffolding &c.

What is the amount finally

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finally sanctioned for the work of this temple? Is it only 100 Rs? Was sanctioned some arrears of allce under H Hs orders Was any Estimate sanctioned there? Please give me full info— Yl. 22/11/06

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Submitted.

The amount ~~finally~~ sanctioned for the removal of ~~the works of this temple~~ is ~~only~~ Rs. 100/-. No Estimate was sanctioned when the arrears of allowance was sanctioned under H Hs orders.

in Amin— signature

estimate for
An ~~Estimate of~~ Rs 2375-8-0 had been received for repairing the whole temple but the Govt in their Lr no no 2507-8 dated 16-9-04

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20th February 1904 observed that it was not possible to give such a large amount from the state grant and requested to submit a fresh estimate for urgent repairs needed to the Jorbhangadi and the Ramanuja mantap. An estimate for only these works was subsequently received in March 1906, but without sanctioning it a query was put about the removal of the Annamurari Vigraha. B

Orders are therefore required now on 2 points viz (i) about the repairs to be effected to the temple without removing the Annamurari Vigraha and (ii)

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about the revised Estimate received from the Dy Comr for urgent repairs needed to the Gurthangadi and the Navaranga Mantapa -

As regards the source from which the cost of the revised estimate may be met:- ~~kaanikaapadarhaarkaam kaaadaarigitaraaarakpaaaati~~ while sanctioning a Dasaik of Rs. 411 per annum vide appl from the 1st April 1906, the Govt sanctioned in their Rev no 5535-40 dated the 28th May 1906, the disbursement from the Revenue Department of the arrears due to the temple

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Rs 961-6-1 upto the end of December 1905, and the Dy Comr was requested to submit a bill for the subsequent period. The latter intimation is still under correspondence - The Govt- in the Revenue Dept- have sanctioned the arrears Rs 961-6-1 (vide Govt- Endo no R 15659-61 dated the 9th June 1906. The cost of the estimate may, it sanctioned, be met from this amount.

Rs 28/11/06

R 700-05-3

Dy Comr's remarks:—

The Estimate for Rs 393 [illegible] Rs received with [illegible] No 394 [illegible] may be

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Extract from the Dy Secretary's Inspection notes of 9th May 1903.

The place known as Venkatayyana Chattram is a small village consisting of an Agrahar of Brahmins and a temple of Sreenivasa Devaru. It would appear that extensive inam lands were endowed to these by the old Rajahs, of which some of the Vrithies were assigned for the benefit of the temple. The Agrahardars mismanaged the properties and became reduced in circumstances, and all the lands, including those assigned to the temple, were resumed to Government for non payment of Government dues. The village is now in a desolate condition, an-

the temple very dilapidated. Immediate repairs to ~~the~~ main temple are urgently necessary and I have asked the Amildar to submit an estimate therefor, making provision for light and air. The Mantapams in the Prakaram cannot now be attended to, but the stone idol of the goddess, which is now in a very dangerous situation, may be removed into the inner shrine and consecrated there.

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" Extract "

Dy Secretary, Muzrai dept

886 20-12-94

No. 1100

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ರೂಬಕಾರಿ.

ಮೈಸೂರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದ ಮುಜರಾಯಿ ಸೂಪರ್‌ಟೆಂಡೆಂಟ್ ಮೆಃ ಯೇ. ಶ್ರೀನಿವಾಸಾಚಾರ್ಲೂ.

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189 ನೇ ಇಸವಿ ಮೊಕ್ಕಾಂ.

Muzrai Superintendent.

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ನಂಬರ್.

1101 ಮೈಸೂರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದ ಮುಜರಾಯಿ ಸೂಪರಿಂಟೆಂಡೆಂಟರವರ
ಹುಜೂರು ಕಚೇರಿಯಿಂದಾ.

ಅರ್ಜಿದಾರ ಚಿಂ.ಮು.ರಂಗಿಚನಗರ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ವೆಂಕಟಲಕ್ಷ್ಮಿನರಸಿಂಹ-
ಸ್ವಾಮಿದೇವಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿರುವ
ಶ್ರೀದಲ್ಲಾಲರು ಮೊಂಜಾನೆಲೆರಂ ಸಂಚಿಂತ್ರಿಗೆ.

ಇಂಡಾರನ್ ಹುಕುಂ.

ನೀವು ಹುಜೂರಿಗೆ ಜಾಹಿರ್ಮಾಡಿಕ್ಕೊಂಡ ತ್ರಿಶಂಗಿಗೆ
ಮಾಪೆ 20 ನೇ ಮುಕ್ಕಂ 886. ನೇ ನಂಬರ್
ಅರ್ಜಿ ಪರಾಂಬರಿಸಲಾಯಿತು.

ವೆಂಕಟಲಕ್ಷ್ಮಿನರಸಿಂಹ-ಶ್ರೀದಲ್ಲಾಲರವರೆಂ
ಬರಮಣ್ಣಾಸ್ವಾಮಿದೇವಸ್ಥಾನದರಿವೇರಿವಿ
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ಪಾರ್ಟಲುಮಾಂತರೆರ್ಕಬಸ್ಕೆಯ್ಯಲ್ಸಿಕುಂಬಳೂ
ತಿಪ್ಪಿರ್ಕೆಯಲು ಇರಾಯಿ ಆಳ್ಸೆಯ್ಂಟ್ ಚೆಮೊಂ
ಪು ನರವರ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ತಿಪ್ಪಿರ್ಕೆಯು ಇರಸಿದ್ರೆ—

4/3/25

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1898-99. Regd No 743

From

The Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District

To

The Secretary to the
Government of Mysore
Mysore Despatch

Dated 31/10/98
Despatched
Received

General No.
No.

Enclosure No.

Forwarding Rock-
Cari Srikantiah, as
Called for, an Estimate
for repairing the temple
of Sri Venkataramana
Swamy at Venkatarayana
Chettrum in the Chamraj
-nagar Taluk.

Submitted
at
5.11.98

Overseer Balakrishna Rao
has been directed to proceed
to the place and check the
estimate
16-11-98 KS

Regn No 143

Hyd

రంగంబకారి

వలుచిరాంబు ంబులాంఖాండ పల్లుపటి

రకలుంతనగర్ పల్లసూంల రిప్రైట్టర్.

ఇ రారిఖు 3-11-98 నిలంరి అరిపల్లి

ఎరిగి 1898 నం ంబుసరి

లింగంకళ్ళం
పల్లసూంల

డిపల్లుపటి రకలుంతనగర్

ఇకాలరంబినగరరాల్లాంగ్రిం
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ವರದಿಯಿಂದ ಸಾದರಪಡಿಸುವುದೇನೆಂದರೆ 1-3-95ನೇ

ವರ್ಷ 1100 ನೇ ನಂಬರ್ ರಂಬಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿ

ಲಿ ರಾಜ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿಯಾಗಿ ಸೇವೆಯಲ್ಲಿದ್ದಾಗ —

ಮಲ್ಲಂಡ ದೇವಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಆನಂದ

ಕೊಂಡ ಕಾಂಸಾರಿ ಸಲ್ಲಾಪುರಾಣಿಕ ಆಲಿಂ

ಲ್ರಿಂದ ದಲಪಿದ 30.9.98 ನೇ ವರ್ಷ $\frac{43}{44}$

ನೇ ನಂಬರ್ ರಿಜಿಸ್ಟರಿನಲ್ಲಿ ನಮೂದಿಸಿದ್ದಾನೆ.

ಸೇರಿಸ್ಥ ಸೀರೆ ಯಿಂದ ಕೊಂಡ ನೀ ರವಾನಿಗೆ

ರುಕ್ಮಿಣಿ ಎಂಬ ಕಾಂಚಿ ಎಂಬುವಳು

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ಕ್ರಮವಾಗಿ ಸಾಂಪಿಸಿರವರದಿಯನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿದೆ—

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SECRETARY

98. Evidence file

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MUZRAI

1902-04

From

THE SECRETARY TO THE
GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

To Muzrai Deptt

The Dy Comr
Mysore Distt:

Dated

Despatched 11th July '03.

Received

General No. 94
Muzrai F. No. 16-94

Enclosure No.

I have the honour to state that during the inspection by the Deputy Secretary to Govt, Muzrai Deptt, of the Sri Srinivasa Devara temple in the Venkatarama Chattram village, Chamarajnagar Taluk, on the 18th April last, he observed the temple to be in a very dilapidated state requiring immediate repairs. The Amildar

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was asked to submit
an estimate for repairing
the temple making
due provision therein
for the removal of the Annamanuvara Vigrah
~~stone idol of the Goddess~~
~~which is now in a dangerous~~
~~condition~~ and consecration
of the same in the inner
Shrine of the temple.
2. It is requested that
the submission of the
estimate may be expedited.
Information as to the
funds if any at the
credit of the temple which
or the source from which the
cost of repairing ~~thereof~~ it
~~can be met, should~~ also be
~~example may~~
furnished.

By order

A&C

10/7/03

Dy Secretary
Muzrai Dept

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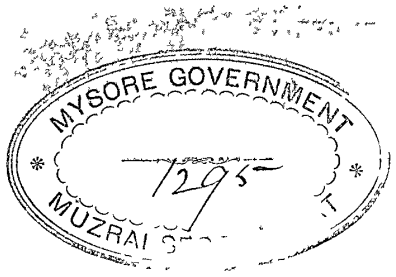
10/7/03



1903-1904

From B. K Venkataramanayya Esq
Deputy Commissioner
of Kolar District.

To L. Anantarama Rao Esq BA
Deputy Secretary to the
Govt. of Mysore in the
Muzrai Department

Dated
Despatched 29th December 1903.
Received
General No.
No.

Enclosure No. 266

Transmitting for sanction 2 estimates
for Rs 2375-8-- and 100 R for
repairing the Sri Ramavadeeram
temple in the Venkatarama chattram
village in the Chamraj nagar taluk

Rupees
Ks
4/1/04

AmA

Where are the Rupees?

Ks
20/1/04

No 150

Deputy Commissioner's Office
Imperial District
Mungeri Department
Dated 29th December 1903

To
The Assistant Accountant Exp. Bk.
Deputy Secretary to the
Government of Mysore in the
Mungeri Department.

Sir,

With reference to your docket No 74
dated the 11th July 1903 calling for an estimate
for a house for the Sheristadar to be
erected from plan attached to the
file, I have the honor
to transmit herewith for sanction the necessary
estimates for Rs 2375 8 and
Rs 1497 respectively. The Sheristadar reports that
Rs 1497 has been subscribed by the
people and that no further sums
can be expected from
the public especially that as the
[illegible]

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant
[illegible]
Deputy Commissioner
of Mungeri Dist

Estimate for Rs 2375 8 for new Sheristadar's Cutcherry.
" " " 1497 " " Sheristadar's Quarters.

Read:

Correspondence ending with the letter No 150 dated 29th December 1903 from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, submitting for sanction 2 Estimates, one amounting to Rs 100 for removing the Aanmanavara idol and consecrating it in the inner shrine of the Sri Srinivasadevaru temple at Venkatapura Chattram, ~~at~~ Chamarajanagar Taluk and the other amounting to Rs 2375-8-0 for repairing the above temple.

No. 2507-8 Ecn/18/16 Order thereon: No

Mur.F. 16-94.

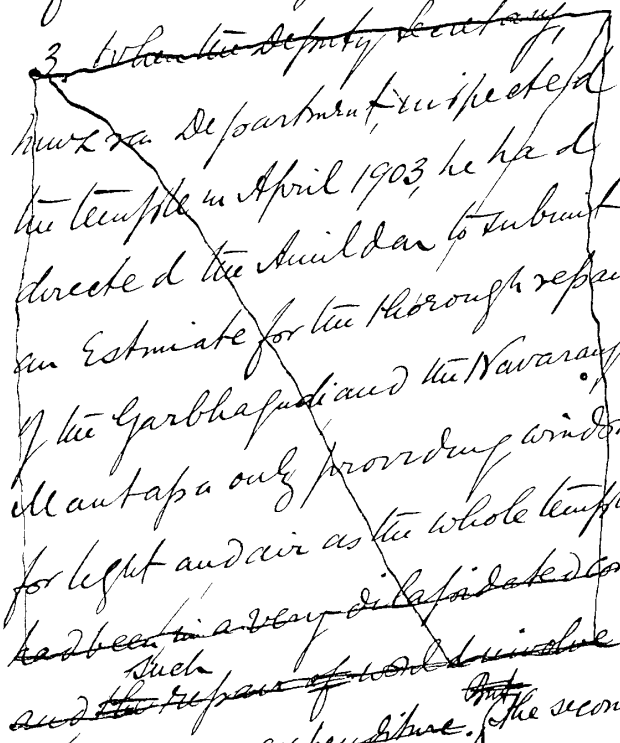
D 20. 2. 04.

The first estimate amounting to Rs 100/- is sanctioned, the charge being met from Rs 170-10-6 reported to be available at the credit of the temple in the Govt Savings Bank.

2. The removal of the Aanmanavara idol and the consecration thereof in the inner

Shrine

~~wk: are provided for in this Estimate~~
shrine of the temple should be
attended to immediately ~~to avoid~~
~~any damage to the idol itself~~
and the result reported to Govt
in the Huzzrai Department for
information ~~early~~.



3 ~~When the deputy Secretary~~
Huzzrai Department inspected
the temple in April 1903, he had
directed the Amildar to submit
an Estimate for the thorough repair
of the Garbhagudi and the Navaranga
Mantapa only providing windows
for light and air as the whole temple
~~had been in a very dilapidated condition~~
~~and the~~ Such ~~repair of would involve~~ Rs. ~~very heavy~~ expenditure. The second
Estimate ~~amounting to Rs 23750-0-0~~ received with ~~reference to~~ the letter read
above ~~is one~~ ~~was it is observed~~, prepared so far back
as in 1898 and provides for the ~~extend & restricted to the works noted~~ above
repairs of the whole temple including
the Chandrasala and outer Sopanam
and walls etc. It is not possible
to give such a large amount from
the State Grant for this one temple
alone. ~~The Department commissioner~~
What is now most urgently
needed is the thorough repair of

The Garbhagudi and the
Navaranga Mantap
providing windows
and sky lights for
light and air,
The Commissioner

MYSORE GOVERNMENT
1126
6-9-05
MUSEUM

Rupees
Rs
6/9/05

1905-06.

From
H. H. Sharkey Esq.
Deputy Commissioner
Bijapur District.

To
To. Arunachalam Rao Esq
Secy. to Govt Municipal
Department

Dated 31 5 05
Despatched 6 9 05
Received
General No 128
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Submits report in
re The repairs to be
done to the Sri Srini
vasa Perumal temple
at Vijayapura at
Athani.

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Deputy Commissioner's Office

Mysore District,

Dated Mysore, 31st August 1905.

4.9.05

(Muzaroy Department)

To,

L.Anantha Swamy Rao Esquire,B.A.,

Secretary to the Government of Mysore,

Muzaroy Department,Bangalore.

Sir,

Adverting to Government order No.2507-8 dated 20th February 1904 sanction-ing an estimate for Rs.100/- for the removal of the Ammanavaru idol and the consecration thereof in the inner shrine of the Sri Sreenivasa Devaru temple at Venkatayyana Chattram in the Chamarajanagar Taluk, I have the honor to submit herewith for favor of orders the file of vernacular papers ending with yadi No 142/86 dated 14th July 1905 received from the Senior Assistant Commissioner,Nanjangud Division,and to state that the Amildar of the Chamarajanagar Taluk reports that Thulsi Sreenivasaiyengar and others state that the contribution amount invested in the Goverhment Savings Bank was intended for the ~~xxxxxxx~~ repairs of the temple and not for the removal and consecration of the Ammanavaroo idol and that they have executed a mutchalika (Vide Pharist No.47) to the effect that, if the contribution amount be returned to them,the stone work amounting to Rs.1080/- in the estimate prepared in 1898 would be completed within three months from the date of the return of the said amount.

2. As the stone work begun by the villagers has not been completed although nearly one year has elapsed, the Amildar is of opinion that it cannot be expected that the villagers will act up to the terms of the mutchalika,or,even if they did,the repairs would not be done substantially,if the contribution amount be returned to them. He therefore

suggests that Government may be pleased to sanction the Estimate for Rs.2375-8-0 prepared in 1898 ~~in~~ The charge being met out of the following items, Viz:-

208-0-0	In Government Pro-note.
198-2-1	From the contribution amount reported to be available at the credit of the temple in the Government Savings Bank.
35-9-1	From the funds of the institution.
1933-12-10	From the State grant.
2375-8-0	

3. The Divisional Officer approves of the Amildar's suggestion

4. Sreenivasa Iyengar's petition presented to this Office on 25th July 1905 praying that the temple should be repaired, and, if no one does it, he may be given the damages for compelling it himself, also accompanies.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

Deputy Commissioner,

Mysore District.

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No. 2262 D/ 13.11.05.

Enc. 1 file.

To

The Dy Commr

Nyasa District

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No 138 dated 4th September 1905, regarding the repairs to be executed to the Sri Venkatesa Perumal Temple at Venkatagiri Chattram in the Channagiri Taluk and to observe that the orders contained in the Govt Endt No 2507-8 dated 20th Aug 4th 16-94

February 1904 have not been attended to —

2. From the late Assistant Engineer Mr Guttmann's report it is observed that some of the works provided for in the old estimate prepared in 1898 for Rs 2375-8-4 were undertaken to be done by our Subsi Executive Engineer and that the other duties assigned to complete the above work to the extent of Rs 1080 and accordingly completed by Mr Ankenman out of

27. Who gave him permission to attend to the work while the matter

was under consideration
is well known. In the
first under repair and
to above it was observed
that what was most
urgently needed was
the thorough repair
of the Gatehouse and
the Passage Entry
having windows
and skylights for
light and air and
a fresh estimate therefor
was accordingly called
for. But no such
estimate has been
received now and the
the reasons for not-
submitting it are
not-

as given -

3. The Govt. under also directed the immediate removal and evacuation of the Ammunition Vignettes in the inner Fortress - Shrine at a cost of Rs. 1000, the charge being debited to the Contribution account- head by the donors. If the donors objected to the utilization of their Contribution amount- for the removal and Evacuation of the idol, the work could have been undertaken in pursuance of the Govt. orders and the

from the Govt. requesting
to grant with a view to
provide the funds from
other sources - It is
a matter for regret
~~unfortunate~~ that much
time was lost in
~~submitting the report~~
unnecessary correspondence

4. I am again directed
to request you to kindly
issue early orders to
~~be~~ execute the works along
sanctioned in 1904
and to submit a
fresh estimate for
the works noted in the
margin required to above-

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MUZRAI SECRETARIAT.

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From

L. ANANTASAMI RAO, Esq., B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Muzrai Department.

To

The Dy Comm.r
Mysore Dist.

Dated

Despatched 23. 2. 06.

Received

General No. 3499.
Muzrai F. No.

Enclosure No. Two.

In inviting reference to this office letter no. 22622 of 13th Nov 05 calling for estimates providing for repairs to the Garbhagudi and Naiveranga mantap of the Sri Srinivasa Devasthanam temple at Venkatarayana Chattram in the Chamarajnagar taluk etc. has the honor to forward herewith the marginally noted petitions from One Srinivasiengar on the same subject and to request ~~to be furnished with the estimates referred to at an early date~~ his submission &c.

2584 of 4-12-05
2902 of 29-12-05.

M G.C.P.B.—1,000—10-7-05.

No. 3500 of even date

Secretary

Sent to the petr. 20/2/06

1905 - 06

GOVERNMENT
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MUZRAI SECRETARIAT

From
A. N. Sparkes Esqr:
Deputy Commr.
Mysore District

To
Le. Ananthasamni Rao Esq. B.A.
Secy to Govt Muzj: Dept

Dated 31st March 1906

Despatched

Received

General No. 501

No.

Enclosure No. one file
& 2 petns

Submitted further
report re repairs to
be executed to the Sri
Srinivasa Devaru
temple at Venkatay-
-yana Chattram in
the Chamarajnagar
Taluk

Refer
Dl
4/4/06

No 501 in letter 2 Pltns

Office of the Deputy Commissioner
Kolar District
Dated Kolar 31st March 1906.

To

C. Arunachala Swamy Esqre B A
Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore
Mysore Department Bangalore

Sir,

In reply to your letter No 2262 dated 13th November 1905 calling for further information regarding the repairs to be executed to the Sri Srinivasa Devaru temple at Venkatayyana chattram in the Chamarajnagar Taluk, I have the honor to state that Mr. N S Puttanna, the then Amildar of the Chamarajnagar Taluk gave permission to start the work (Vide his order dated 18-11-1903 Pharial No 25).

2 The present Amildar Mr. C. Krishna Rao has reported in his No $\frac{32}{346}$ dated 18-1-1906 that the works already sanctioned in 1904 would be executed and a completion Bill submitted therefor in due course adding that the devotees might be allowed to complete the stone work if they are willing to carry out the work according to the approved estimate.

3 A fresh estimate amounting to Rs 398/- for urgent and necessary repairs to the Garbha-gudi and Navaranga called for in para 4 of your letter under reply

reply is herewith submitted

4. The two petitions received with your docket-No 3499 dated 23.2 1906 are also herewith re-transmitted together with the entire file of vernacular papers ending with the Amildar's report No $\frac{32}{3416}$ dated 18.1.1906.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

Chas Mobbs
Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District

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MUZRAI SECRETARIAT.

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From

L. ANANTASAMI RAO, Esq., B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Muzrai Department.

To The Deputy Commr
Mysore Dt

Dated 21st April 1906

Despatched

Received

General No. 4909
Muzrai F. No.

Enclosure No. 1 File & 2 Pcls.

Ref Letter no 501 dy 31st March 1906 submitting further report regarding the repairs to be executed to the Sri Srinivasa Devaru temple at Venkatarayana Chattram in the Chamarajnagar Taluk

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With reference to the above has the honor to state that from the present reference it

GPB—2,000—7-2 06

Not clear whether the
immediate removal of the Amma-
-varu idol and from
its present dangerous
situation and the conse-
-cration thereof in the
inner shrine as ordered
in Govt Pro: No 2507-8 dy
20 February 1906 has been
carried out. If not it
should be attended to at
once & responded to this Office
2. The Enclosures are returned
for reference and re-submn

By order

18/4/06
Secretary

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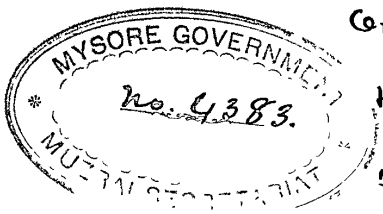
17/4/06



Office of the Private Secretary.
to H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore.
Fern Hill, Ooty. 12th April 1918.

Petition as shewn below, to H.H. the Maharaja, is transferred to the Secretary to the Govt. of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Munz. Dept. Bangalore, for disposal.

No. 1438 of 05-06.

By order,
Sd. E. Machonochie.
I.C.S.
Private Secretary to H.H.
The Maharaja.

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GOVT. OF H. H. THE MAHARAJA
OF MYSORE,

MUZRAI DEPARTMENT.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

No. 5155-Encl

The accompanying Petition No. 4383
addressed to H. H. the
dated 27.3.06 ~~received at this~~
Maharaja by
~~Office from~~ Sreenivasiengar
of Venkatagyana Chattram,
Chamarajanagar Taluk,
praying not to remove the
Utsuvamurti of Sri Prasanna Venkata
Ramana Swami ~~consecrated~~
by his ancestors at the place
~~is forwarded, together with its~~ pending final orders of
~~enclosures, to the~~
Government, is forwarded
to the Deputy Commr
Mysore Dt ~~for report~~.
in Contn of Govt Pro:
No 2507-82 20.2.04

By Order,

25/

S-5-06

Secretary,
Muzrai Department.

BANGALORE,
6.5.1906.

No. 5456.
Encl to perusal
4/5/06

19/4/06

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MUZRAI SECRETARIAT.

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From

I. ANANTASAMI RAO, Esq., B.A,
Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Muzrai Department.

To

To The Dy: Commr
Mysore Dt

Dated 30th

Despatched 30th June 1906

Received

General No. 6026
Muzrai F. No.

Enclosure No.

In continuation of the correspondence ending with this office Cir no 5-15-5 dated the 5th inst 1906

~~Has~~ the honor to forward herewith a copy of Telegram addressed to the Dewan by the ~~the~~ "devotees" of the Sri Venkataramanaswamy temple at Venkatana chattram, Chamarajnagar Taluk protesting against the removal of ~~Goddess~~ Vigraha of the Ammanavaru ~~idol~~ from its present position and

GPB—2,000—7-2-06

2. Requests
~~requesting~~ to be informed
if it is possible to ~
effect the repairs without
removing the idols.
3/ The opinion of the local
P.W. Officio in the matter
should also be obtained
and communicated to this
Office at a very early date

By Order

25/6/06

Secretary

25/6/06
No 6027 dt 30.6.06
Copy to the Amildar
Chamarajnagar Taluk for
information to save time

Secy

No 6028/30 dt
Asst Engineer

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No. 6028 Dt 30.6.06.

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Secretary [illegible]

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From

M. Kanakaraj Urs Esq B.A.
Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District.

To

L. Anantasawmi Rao Esq B.A.
Secy: to Govt Mung: Debt

Dated

8th Nov: 1906.

Despatched

Received

General No. 1195

Enclosure No. 1 file

States that repairs to the Sri Venkataramana Swami temple at Venkatarayana chattram can be carried out without removing the idols

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D. O.
No. 11.16

Deputy Commissioner's office
Mysore District
Dated Mysore 12th November 1906.

To

Lo. Ananta Sami Rao Esqr. B.A
Secretary to the Government of His
Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.
Muzrai Department, Bangalore

Sir,

In reply to your docket [illegible]
dated the 30th June 1906 enquiring whether
it is possible to effect the repairs to the
Venkataramana Swami temple at [illegible]
-hiana Chattram, Chamarajanagar
without removing the idols, I have to
to state that the Amildar of the Ch[illegible]
-nagar Taluk and the Local Public
officer have reported that it is fea[illegible]
to carry out all the needful rep[illegible]
removing the idols from their prese[illegible]
but the cost of scaffolding and
to be given would be great.

2. The file of papers bearing

Subject received with the Amildar's report
No 7 dated 28th September 1906 is
[illegible] submitted for reference

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

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Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District

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Deputy Commissioner's Office
Mysore District
Dated Mysore 8th November 1906.

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To

L. Ananta Sami Rao Esqr. B.A
Secretary to the Government of His
Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Muzrai Department, Bangalore

Sir,

In reply to your docket No. 6026 dated the 30th June 1906 enquiring whether it is possible to effect the repairs to the Sri Venkataramana Swami temple at Venkatiana Chatram, Chamarajanagar Taluk without removing the idols, I have the honor to state that the Amildar of the Chamarajnagar Taluk and the Local Public works officer have reported that it is feasable to carry out all the needful repairs without removing the idols from their present position but the cost of scaffolding and supports to be given would be great

2 The file of papers bearing on the subject

received with the Amildar's report

No. 7/162 dated 28th September 1906 is

herewith submitted for reference

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant

Deputy Commissioner

B.A. Mysore District.

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Read. —

Government Ro: No 2507—8 dated 20th February 1907 Sanctioning an Estimate for Rs. 100/- for removing the Ammanavaru idol and consecrating it in the inner Shrine of the Sri Srinivasa devaru temple at Venkatana chattaru in the Chamaraja nagar Taluk.

Petition No 4383 D/27th March 1906 addressed to H.H the Maharaja, by one Srinivasachar of Venkatana Chattaru, ~~Chamaraja nagar Taluk~~, protesting against the removal of the Ammanavaru idol from its present position.

And,

Letter No 196 D/8th November 1906 from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, reporting on the above.

Order

Order thereon in 2 — 3297-99 D 24

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The Deputy Commissioner submitted for sanction two Estimates, one amounting to Rs. 100/- for removing the annamacharya idol and consecrating it in the inner shrine of the Sri Srinivasa Devarai temple and the other amounting to Rs 2375-8-0 for repairing the whole building ~~the above temple~~. The former Estimate for Rs 100/- was sanctioned in the Govt. Order referred to above with regard to and ~~for~~ the other Estimate, the Deputy Commissioner was informed that it was not possible to give such a large amount from the State Grant for this one temple alone ~~and~~ It was however requested to submit a revised ~~fresh~~ Estimate for urgent repairs needed to ~~the thorough repair of the roof~~ only the Garbha Gudi and the Navaranga Mantapa, ~~providing boundary stone Steps lights for light and door~~.

Removal of the Anjaneyaswamy Vigraha from its present position for which a sum of Rs 1000 was sanctioned he was requested to report on the petition of Srinivasa Iyengar and others, whether it was possible to repair the repairs without removing the idol. With reference to this point the Dy Comr

2. The Deputy Commissioner who was also requested to report on the petition of Srinivasa Iyengar and others of Venkatarama Chetty states that the Local Public Works Officers are of opinion that the repairs may be carried out without removing the idol from its present position but that the cost of scaffolding and supports would be great. As regards the repairs required he submits a revised Estimate for Rs. 398/- for urgent works required.

3. The revised Estimate for Rs 398/- for repairing the Garbhagudi and Navaranga Mantapa of the Sri Srinivasa Devasthanam at Venkatapuram

~~the~~ is sanctioned.

Charge being met from the sum of Rs 961-6-1 ~~available~~ found at the credit of the Institution by the Revenue Dept orders contained in the Govt Endo no 15659-61 dated 4th June 1906. LR 700-05-

4 As public opinion is very strong against removing the Annamalayan idol, the repairs should be carried out without such removal — The sum of Rs 100/- already sanctioned for removing the idol should be utilized towards the scaffolding &c without disturbing the position of the temple

5 As the work would require careful handling, the work should be carried out by ~~contracted~~ to the P. W. D

II
C.'s order)

14/12/06
Secretary

Ds
10/12/06

To
The Deputy Comr, Mysore Dt.
with the sanctd Estimate and other enclosures
" Comptroller, Mysore Govt, with a copy of the revised Estimate.
" Chief Engineer of Mysore,
~~for information~~

7 JAN 1908
MYSORE P. W. DEPT.

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE
No. 5644
DEC. 18 1907
WESTERN CIRCLE

From

The Ex ... Engineer,

To

The Superintending Engineer,

Western Circle.

Dated 12th December/07.

Despatched 16

Received

General No 886
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Enclosure No 4 { 2 Sanctioned Estimates, 1 Map, 1 Statement }

Superintending Engineer's docket No.99 of 9-1-07, forwarding a copy of Government Proceedings No.3297-9 of 24-12-08, sanctioning two estimates for repairing the Ammanavaru Gudi in the Sree Sreenivasadevaru(Venkataramana-swamy) temple at Venkatarangam Chatram, Chamarajanagar Taluk.

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Has the honor to forward herewith, for sanction, a supplemental Estimate for the Establishment and Tools & Plant charges as called for in the above. The provisions for the repair works proposed are alright.

2/. The work has been ordered to

Sre 106 8/1/08
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Forwarded to Chief Engineer of Mysore with reference to his Rc 4 dated 3rd June/07 for favor of disposal.

II Orders of Muzrai Secretary may be kindly obtained regarding repairs to other portions of the temple alluded to in para 4 of Executive Engineer's docket.

for The Superintending Engineer
Western Circle

MYSORE GOVERNMENT
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MUZRAI SECRETARIAT

No. 341.

Forwarded to the Secy to Govt, Muzrai Dept, in reference to Govt Rer. No. 3297-9 dated 13th December 1907 for favour of disposal.

for Engineer

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Please continue
note 4/28/1/08

to be proceeded with.

3/. The sanctioned estimates are enclosed for return when done with.

4/. The undersigned inspected the temple recently. The provision the estimates sanctioned is only for repairing the Ammanavaru Gudi portion. Other portions of the temple are also in need of repairs and ~~xxx~~ in places of reconstructing. The outer walls (Prakaram) are slanting, especially on the South and West sides. The undersigned learnt, however, that the devotees of the temple had undertaken to rebuild these walls and carry out other needful repairs. They have, however, done very little, so far and this little work was carried out years ago. Unless steps are taken early, these damaged portions will come down.

Executive Engineer,

M.R.K. Mysore Division.

Mysore.

Read. —

Later ref — Govt Pro. No 3297-98 dt 24th
557-08 December 1907 Sanctioning
an Estimate for Rs 398/—
for repairing the Gorbhagudi
and Navaranga Mantapa
of the Sri Srinivasa Devaru
Temple at Venkatiana Chatra
in the Chamarajanagar Taluk

Letter No 3241 dt 17th January
1908 from the Chief Engineer
& Secretary, forwarding for
Sanction a Supplemental
Estimate for Rs 52/- for the
Establishment and Tools
and Plant charges for the
above.

No 3412-14 dt 8-2-08

Order thereon No

The Supplemental Estimate

for Rs 52/- is sanctioned the charge being met from the funds of the temple.

2. The Comptroller is requested to place the sanctioned amount at the disposal of the Chief Engr.

12/1/08

Secretary
11/1/08

To
The Chief Engr. with the sanctd supplemental Estimate & letter enclosures.
Comptroller, Mysore South.
" Dy Comr, Mysore South.